



Weather Report.

KNOXVILLE, March 26, 1880.

Time... 17 a m 10 32 12 p m 2 32
Barom... 30.27 30.9 30.04 30.06
Therm... 140 52 67 69.
Wind... 136 5 143 148 5 150.

Maximum Thermometer, 59°; Minimum, 37°; Rainfall, 0.00 inches.

INDICATIONS: For Tennessee and Ohio valley, warmer cloudy, rainy weather, southeast veering to westerly winds, and lower barometer.

EMPEROR WILLIAM, of Germany, fought at Waterloo.

HALIFAX had the heaviest snow storm of the season on Wednesday night.

ALL signs point to the completion of the road from Knoxville to Toccoa or Mount Airy as a certainty.

THE Memphis Ledger is alarmed at the prospect of the taxing district being overrun with dogs, and wants a dog tax.

IRON men say the demand for railroad iron is heavier than it has been for sixteen years, probably heavier than ever before.

BLAINE's friends claim that he will receive 359 votes at Chicago, on the first ballot. It will take 379 to give him the nomination.

THE Chicago Journal proposes a compromise ticket, composed of E. B. Washburn for President, and Senator Edmunds for Vice President, as the strongest that could be named.

THE Maryville Index is to be enlarged to a 40 column sheet. We rejoice at this evidence of its prosperity. The Index is one of the most high-toned and reliable papers in the state.

A CONVENTION of farmers and merchants is called to meet at London, on Monday, August 5, to take into consideration the question of improving navigation on the Tennessee river. It is a meritorious enterprise, and there should be a full meeting.

WE propose to publish to-morrow morning, an exhaustive and carefully prepared article on "Knoxville as an Iron Centre." We believe this city is destined to be one of the most important iron centres in the United States, and think our belief founded upon facts, which we will attempt to show.

It is natural and right that republicans should discuss, before the meeting of the Chicago convention, the strong point of the various presidential candidates, but when the nomination is made, there will be a closing up of columns and a charge all along the lines against the communists. There will be no bickerings nor divisions then.

THE centennial of Nashville promises to be a grand affair, and we trust the people of the entire state will do something to contribute to its success. We have many reasons to be proud of our capital city. A more hospitable, substantial people will not be found anywhere. They have taken hold of their centennial celebration in earnest, and they will accomplish what they undertake.

THE Tammany crowd have engaged 100 rooms in the Burnet House at Cincinnati, 130 at the St. James, and a parlor and a few rooms at the Gibson. The headquarters of the regular or Tilden democracy will be at the Grand hotel, in which accommodations have been engaged for 200 persons. Rooms have also been engaged at the Gibson House and other hotels in the neighborhood of Music Hall sufficient to accommodate 800 men. New York evidently intends to be heard from at Cincinnati.

EDMUNDS UNWILLING.

Seriously Contemplating Action that Will Put Him Out of the List of Presidential Candidates.

[Special dispatch to the Cincinnati Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, March 24.—Friends of Senator Edmunds say that he is contemplating, in case the movement for his nomination to the presidency should assume such proportions as to warrant any declaration on his part, writing a letter or taking some other formal means to express his unwillingness to be a candidate, or to be considered as a candidate for that office. The sudden prominence given to his name in this connection is wholly surprising, and he has been somewhat at a loss as to what course he ought to take, in justice to himself and to others. Of course the compliment paid to him by the state republican convention of Vermont was gratifying to his feelings as an expression of the esteem and confidence of the people of his own state, but the idea of becoming a candidate for the presidency has never been seriously entertained by him, and he has given no encouragement to the efforts in his behalf. The office is one which has no alluring attractions to him, and he has said that on personal grounds he would much prefer the office of senator to that of president. There is no reason to doubt that he is disinclined to give any sanction to a serious attempt to secure his nomination.

Kingston also wants a banking institution, and the East Tennesseean hopes at no distant day to be able to announce the organization of one.

XLVI. CONGRESS.

WASHINGTON, March 26.—The house refused to dispense with the morning hour.

Mr. Robertson (La.) said: Yesterday he had voted for Mr. McLane's (Md.) proposition for the purpose of bringing Mr. Townsend's (O.) bill before the house. Had he understood a certain decision of the speaker's, he would have voted against the proposition, because he was not a protectionist.

Mr. McLane (Md.)—By what right does the gentleman give any such significance to that vote? For one, utterly repel and repudiate any such significance. There was no such significance in that vote.

The speaker then proceeded to call the committees for reports of a private nature.

After a long debate on the bill to extend the patent on a shoe-pegging machine, the morning hour expired, and the house, without acting on the bill, went into a committee of the whole on the private calendar. The first bill taken up was that for the relief of L. Madison Day, of Louisiana, on account of property in New Orleans purchased by him from the United States with a defective title.

Mr. O'Connor (S. O.) spoke at length in favor of the bill, and Mr. Hammond (Ga.) made a long argument against it.

Without disposing of the bill, the committee rose and the house adjourned.

NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, March 26.—The Tammany state committee met in secret session at the St. Nicholas hotel to-day. The executive committee was authorized to name the time and place for holding the convention. The general feeling of the politicians present seemed to be in favor of the convention nominee and utterly opposed to Tilden. The county members, however, advised that the proceedings be deliberate and safe.

In the suit of E. S. Dakin against the Union Pacific, Kansas Pacific and Denver Pacific railroads et al., to compel a transfer of stock and enjoin the payment of dividends, Judge Blatchford to-day denied the motion for an injunction.

The democratic state committee met at the St. James Hotel. A resolution was adopted that the convention shall be called between April 20 and May 1, to meet 20 days after the call. No place was fixed on. Charles K. Granis, of Uca, made a speech declaring that it is well known to the friends of Mr. Seymour that he will not consent to be a candidate before the national convention.

The spinners of the extensive Harmony mills, at Cooper's, N. Y., are on a strike, and the weavers to-day held a meeting, and threatened to strike in a body Monday unless the spinners' demands are acceded to before that time. Both sides are determined, and are preparing for a long lockout.

ALBANY, N. Y., March 26.—Articles of incorporation of the ladies' co-operative dress association, of New York city, with a capital of \$250,000, were filed to-day.

MISSOURI.

St. Louis, March 26.—The republican anti-third term committee has adopted a call for a national mass convention to meet in St. Louis, May 6, to the end that the national organization may be perfected, through which a proper exposition of the will of the people against the principle of a third presidential term may be secured, with a view to limiting by constitutional amendment the executive tenure. The call recites the patriotic precedent of Washington and his successors, and the declaration of Jefferson that: "If some termination to the services of the chief magistrate be not fixed by the constitution or supplied by practice, his office, nominally for years, will, in fact, become for life."

It cordially approves the declaration of the Pennsylvania state republican convention of 1875—also that of New York—against a third term, and deprecates the evident purpose of a faction of the republican party to secure the re-election of Grant, thereby endangering the success of the party and threatening to subvert the policies thereto regarded as the safeguards of our institutions.

COLUMBUS, GA., March 26.—B. E. Marcus, a young man, of this city, committed suicide, to-day, by taking strychnine and shooting himself through the head. No cause is assigned for the act.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 26.—The evening papers published the following card:

To the public: We desire to state that no negotiations are going on and no communication whatever is being had between this committee and the representatives of sand-lots, all rumors to the contrary notwithstanding.

By order of the executive committee of the citizens' protective union.

(Signed) JENNINGS S. Cox, Secretary.

The thirty days' notice of the condemnation of Chinatown expired to-day, but the board of health has not yet taken action with regard to it. Arrests for violation of the sanitary laws can not, it is said, be made at present, because the jails are already full and there is no place to put the prisoners.

W. N. C. RAILROAD.

RALEIGH, N. C., March 26.—The bill for the sale of the Western North Carolina railroad, which the present extra session of the legislature was called by Governor Jarvis to consider, passed its third and final reading in both houses to-day, without amendment. The vote in the house was 89 in the affirmative and 21 in the negative. In the senate the vote was 49 for and 5 against. It is generally understood that the legislature will adjourn sine die on Monday next.

CENTENNIAL.

NASHVILLE, March 26.—The appropriation to be awarded to competitive military companies during the centennial exhibition having been increased, it was last night decided to divide the whole amount of \$2,500 into the following prizes: For the best drilled infantry company, \$1,000; second best, \$500; best drilled section of artillery, \$300; second best, \$200; best drilled cavalry company, \$300; second best, \$200.

TEXAS.

GALVESTON, March 26.—In the republican convention at Austin, yesterday, a resolution instructing the delegates to Chicago to vote for Grant, was bitterly opposed. It was finally agreed to instruct the delegates to vote as a unit. This was at once accepted by the Grant men as equivalent to instructions and adopted. Governor Davis was elected as one of the delegates at large.

THE EXODUS.

MOBILE, ALA., March 26.—The Register will furnish to-morrow an interview with S. H. Senor, a colored man returned from Illinois. He gives a full and sorrowful account of his brethren in the west, and says their condition is worse than it ever was in slavery times. He intends to travel through the states and warn his colored brethren. He says the south is the best place for his people.

GEN. GRANT.

GALVESTON, TEX., March 26.—Gen. Grant and party left here for San Antonio, this morning, and will remain there till Monday; arriving at Houston on Monday afternoon. They will leave Houston on Tuesday for New Orleans, via Galveston. Gen. Sheridan and party have left for Chicago.

SOUTH AMERICA.

PANAMA, March 26.—On the 8th of February, a Chilean force of 8,000 or 10,000 men, with six hundred cavalry and plenty of artillery, landed at the port of Paochoa, 60 miles north of Arica, and went into camp. On the same day 3,000 Chileans occupied the village of Vitor, twenty miles south of Paochoa, and communication was opened between the two camps. Two Chilean iron-clads at the same time made demonstration against Arica by sea, but were roughly handled by the monitor Mosca Cupac, and withdrew. The effect of the attack on the ocean was to keep Gen. Montero occupied, so that no opposition could be made to the Chileans landing further north.

It is believed that a simultaneous naval and land attack will soon be made on Arica in force and the result thereof is awaited at Lima with much anxiety. The Chileans in their present position can cut off all supplies and reinforcements from Arica, and Gen. Montero's situation is critical.

RAILROAD RACKET.

LAKE CHARLES, La., March 26.—The gap between Lake Charles and Orange, Texas, on the Louisiana Western railroad, was closed to-day. A locomotive left here this morning and arrived at Orange at 1 p. m. About ten days will be required for surfacing the road bed before the passenger train will run from Houston, Texas, to Lake Charles.

FOREIGN NEWS.

LONDON, March 26.—A dispatch says: "The Augsburg Gazette asserts that the pending trouble between Russia and China is certainly due to English influence at Peking. The Nord of Brussels refuses to believe the report until it is confirmed, but maintains that if China should enter into a hostile league against Russia, she will receive a lesson that will cost her Kuldja. England will have the new chagrin of seeing Russia strengthened in her hold upon the frontiers of China."

MINOR DISPATCHES.

New York, March 26.—The Seelways have also yielded partially to the strikers' demands, and the men are expected to return to work to-day at an advance of ten per cent on former wages. Hale and Weber are now the only firms who hold out in New York.

PETERSBURG, VA., March 26.—A bold attempt was made last night to wreck the southern bound passenger train from the north, between Weldon and Halifax, N. C., by placing rails on the track. The train was delayed an hour, but no serious results followed.

St. Louis, Mo., March 26.—Jacob Frey, 69 years old, cut his wife's throat about noon to-day, and then cut his own throat. Neither of them were dead at last accounts, but probably both will die. The affair grew out of a quarrel about money.

COLUMBUS, GA., March 26.—The Masonic female college at Lumpkin was destroyed by fire on Thursday.

Boston, Mass., March 26.—Capt. Gunny, one of the oldest and best known pilots in the country, died this morning, aged 90 years. He was in the fight between the Shannon and the Chesapeake.

Bayonne, N. J., March 26.—The striking coopers of the Standard Oil company have agreed to resume work to-morrow.

New Woolen Mill at Maryville.

We understand that some of the enterprising citizens of our neighboring town of Maryville are preparing to establish another woolen mill in that town. W. Y. C. Hannum is now in the eastern markets for the purpose of purchasing the necessary machinery and material, and it is expected to have it in operation at an early day. Maryville has already one woolen mill, which has been very successfully operated for a few years past by Messrs. W. T. Farham & Co., and it is one of the most successful and thriving business interests of that town and surrounding country. It gives us pleasure to give circulation to all such items, for there is nothing that builds up a country like manufactures, be they of what ever kind they may, and what is needed here is that more of our idle capital should be judiciously invested in manufacturing interests.

A Good Housewife.

The good housewife, when she is giving her house its spring renovating, should bear in mind that the dear inmates of her house are more precious than many houses, and that their systems need cleansing by purifying the blood, regulating the stomach and bowels to prevent and cure the diseases arising from spring malaria and miasma, and she must know that there is nothing that will do it so perfectly and surely as Hop Bitters the purest and best of medicines. See other column.

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MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.

Proceedings of the City Council Last Night.

The Board met as usual last night, Mayor Branner presiding, and the following aldermen present: Allison, Boyd, McAffy, Hudiburg, Michaels, Atkins, Sullivan, Caldwell, Hooker, Murphy, Burrier, McCroskey, Dickson, Mackey, Irvin.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Col. W. A. Henderson, by permission, asked authority from the board to close an alley through his property between Locust and Walnut streets, with a view to building on the premises. Permission granted, on motion of Alderman Irvin.

Col. A. Caldwell appeared as a representative of the board of trustees of the university of Tennessee, on the question of a judgment held by the university against the city for about \$200,000, interest included. He said the trustees would be satisfied with the payment in a reasonable time of the excess over \$10,000. This amount they would willingly fund if the payment of 6 per cent. interest thereon was guaranteed. The judgment had been set aside, for the benefit of the university library. He hoped the council would take some definite action to-night, so that a report can be made to a special meeting of the board of trustees, in a week or two.

On motion of Alderman Dickson, the proposition of Col. Caldwell was reduced to writing and adopted, with the provision that 5.20 bonds be executed for the stipulated sum. The finance committee and the mayor were empowered to set with the board of trustees and arrange the details.

Col. W. G. Galt, a representative of the board of health, by permission made some remarks regarding the establishment of a garbage system, in accordance with the plan presented at the last meeting of the council. The drift of his remarks was that after mature deliberation, he had concluded to come to the unanimous conclusion that the sanitary interests of the city demand the absolute expulsion of all dogs from the corporation limits, but to do so, and before the dogs can be removed, there must necessarily be a garbage system to get rid of the matter consumed by the dogs. The establishment of a garbage system between the two creeks and the river and railroad, but if they are not willing to put that limit on it, let it take in all the city. The plan is to advertise for contracts to remove garbage and to require all citizens to put the garbage in barrels for removal.

On motion of Alderman Allison the sanitary committee was instructed to apply with the board of health on the subject, prepare some legislation and report at the next meeting.

The following bills, which were held over for two weeks, under the ordinance, were read by Alderman Allison, pronounced properly approved and passed for payment:

Adney & Atkins.....\$50 37
C. F. Youngblood.....28 00
American Meter Co.....39 75
J. L. Hudiburg.....8 24
T. A. Burrier.....2 75
W. H. Alexander.....7 75
Ramage & Co.....1 60
M. P. Bourke.....2 75

A number of other bills were read and held over for investigation.

Alderman Atkins, acting chairman of the fire and police committee, reported that he, in the absence of chairman O'Connor, had accepted the resignation of Jno. M. Ellis as watchman at the city hall, and, on motion, his action was ratified by the board.

Alderman Mackey, chairman of the market and building committee, proposed and read a paper, defining the duties of the market master, and rules governing market hours, regulations, etc., but no action was taken.

Dr. Murphy, chairman of the sanitary committee, made a report of an inspection of the slaughter houses on the two creeks. On second creek, they found Smith & Ellison's and Metcalf's slaughter houses very bad, but Ignaz Fanz's in fair condition. On First creek, Bradley Lee's and J. A. Galyon's were reported very bad, also. He said these nuisances should be closed, for there is no use of "cleaning up" the town, with all this filth flowing on the creeks.

Alderman McCroskey, who was on this tour of inspection, gave in his evidence, saying they had a glorious time. As regards the slaughter houses, he said Smith & Ellison's was very bad, Metcalf's was not very bad, but Fanz's was in as good condition as it possibly could be. Bradley Lee's he thought to be in good condition, but Galyon's was worse than all. The greatest nuisance they find, he said, was the deposit of carlot and other filth in that vicinity, so near the city, and it should be immediately stopped.

Alderman Burrier was another of those excursionists, and corroborated in the main Alderman McCroskey. He said he thought the creek water contaminated by the dead beasts and other filth taken from the city and put on those hills, thus washing off into the creeks, whenever it rains.

Alderman Murphy moved to have some curbing laid on Depot street and curbing laid on Broad street, east side from the railroad, towards Depot street.

Alderman Dickson moved an amendment for some curbing in the Third ward. Referred to the street committee.

A motion of Alderman Irvin to lay 100 feet of curbing on Mabry street, east end, was lost.

Alderman Allison offered an ordinance, striking out that part of the ordinance fixing a fire district, which permits the board to allow any licensing of that ordinance. Passed both readings and becomes a law.

Alderman Allison also offered an ordinance fixing the tax on billiard tables at \$10, instead of \$25, as heretofore. Lost.

Requests from Alderman Michaels and Hooker were referred to the gas committee.

A resolution was offered by Alderman Atkins and adopted, providing that no macadam road shall be purchased till it is first been passed by the board.

On motion of Alderman Burrier, an election was gone into for night watchman to succeed John M. Ellis, resigned. The following nominations were made: John Waters, Mos

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AT THE HOTELS.

List of Arrivals in the City.

The following is a list of arrivals at the city hotels for March 26:

ATKIN HOUSE.

F. P. Fleming, Salem, Va.; Miss Ragan, Tenn.; B. B. Lewis, Louisville, Ky.; J. B. Gass, W. A. Jacobs, Danville; John B. Sharp, Morristown; J. M. Reeves, Cleveland, O.; Gilman Traction, B. M. Sherman, J. F. Norton, Louisville, Ky.; G. M. McKnight, Sweetwater, W. M. Lowe, Gettysburg, Pa.; N. Allison, Kingston; E. Stevens, wife and child, Mrs. Jno. F. Davis, Coal Creek; G. W. Landon, railroad; Henry Miller, Maryville; Jno. B. Foster, London; B. P. Hinton, Boston's & Bonds.

FAMAR HOUSE.

J. J. Culp, Mt. Horeb; C. S. Adams, N. Y.; J. S. Moore, Philadelphia; Jas. A. Allison, Baltimore; J. A. McCallin, Mt. Vernon, O.; S. Bissinger, Louisville, Ky.; D. C. Howe, Wyoming; A. T. C. Ewell, Silver Creek; J. F. Shaffer, Boston Station; B. M. Branner, Mossy Creek.

CENTRAL HOUSE.

J. B. Brannon, Boyd's Creek; M. C. Crowder, Beaver Ridge; Julius Lewis, Baltimore.